COHEN'S STORE

Full of Human Industry

The Store is Filled Now With Early Spring Dress Lovliness

Wherever an accomplishment in the creation of merchan-

There is invaluable information as what to wear and what

Every housewife is asked to be a shopper just now, because it's just the time

The Cohen Silk Store

presents the most stirring merchandise events of the year; and Silks are the conversation of all interested in fashion. The meeting of the latest styles with such prices as are placed on them just shows that this store is the Silk house of the South. These facts for Monday's sale:

Lyons Black Taffeta, brilliant, mel-low finish, "guaranty" is woven in including white and black, for low finish, "guaranty" is work

19-inch, 69c quality....15e 20-inch, 75c quality....59e 22-inch, 85c quality...69e 36-inch, 81.29 quality...69e 36-inch, 89c quality...69e

Lyons Black Messaline Silks, finely woven and very durable.

21-inch, \$1 quality....75e 22-inch, \$1.19 quality...86e 35-inch, 50e quality...30e Lyons Black Palllette de Sole, pure dye, las a lustre like silver.

19-inch, 75c quality....58c 36-inch, \$1.29 quality...\$1 ti Imported Shantung Pongce, washes like linen, 27 inches wide, a most unusual bargain, at 69e.

31 1-2c. Silks, embroidered in self-same color designs, 50 pieces to choose from, 59c a yard. 50c Japanese Silk Cropes, has the pretty cropy crinkle so much desired, 20c.

65c Printed Foulards, in a fine assort ment of colors and now designs, fo

De Checked Louisines, in black and white, navy and white, green and white and brown and white effects,

.40c. On White Habutat Wash Silk, 36 inches wide, 35be; 27 inches wide, usual 39c quality, for 25c. Il Glaco Taffetas, in neat hair-line stripes, including all the most desirable colors, for 59c.

The Cohen Prices Stand Out in Bold Relief

to pay for it.

A Store of New Worsted

Dress Fabrics, Colored Colored

Mohairs, Voiles, Broadcloths, Wire Worsteds, Cheviots and all things that are among the recognized accepted goods for the spring and summer season.

Colored Goods-

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New Fancy Mohairs are among the novelty dress fabrics of the season. You can find some of the prettiest designs here at 50e a yard. Bradford, England, contributes the best Mohair ever made—Bradford has been making Mohair nearly every day for over a hundred years—the latest novelities, composed of new weaves and colorings; Some are mixtures entirely novel, an endless variety—44 Inches wide—sells for \$1 a yard. The Mohair Slellians, 40 inches wide, are 55e.

are 59c.
One of the stylish dress fabrics in the new Paris costumes is Vollo, with a self colored bourette effect; these goods will stand almost any sort of abuse—de inches wide—every color and black, for 75c a yard.
French Novolty Suitings, the sedate, self-colored check, shepherd check and silk piald check; the variety of designs that these goods come in is almost infinite; all colors, and the price from 50c to \$1.18 a yard.
Handsome Broadcloths, every delicate that running into the darker shade, until you strike black; these fine fabrics have become a necessity for

fabrics have become a necessity for ilmost every woman, no matter how many other dresses she may have. Cohen's price for the imported kinds is \$1 to \$2.05 a yard. The \$1 quality contains pieces that cost up to

You can buy Dress Goods in the new Crepe Cloths, half wool, at 12 1-2c, in any color, and from this price up, including all the kinds of Albatross, Batiste, Eollennes, etc.

Black Goods-

Illack Silk Eolienne, 41 inches wide, the new fabric for fancy spring dresses, \$1.

31.75 Handsome All Wool Black Mel-rose; 44 inches wide, nice weight for fancy skirts, \$1.35. Priesticy's Japonette Etamine, 42 inches wide, for Eton suits, 9Sc.

inches wide, for Eton suits, 1882.

All Wool Black Panama Cloth, 46 inches wide, 08c.

Light Weight Black Chiffon Cloth, 54 inches wide, 82.48.

All Wool Black Imported Poplin, 46 inches wide, 81.45.

\$1.25 All Wool Black Wire Volle, 41 inches wide, 75c.

Silk and Wool Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide, 85c.
75c All Wool Bluck Serge, 44 inches wide, 50c.
Black Mohair Batiste, 36 inches wide,

20e.
48c Black Crepe Cloth, 36 inches wide, special, 25e.

A Demonstration of New

Cotton Fabrics

Now-a-days so-called Cotton fabrics are not all Cotton. Many of the new are of silk or mercerized mixture, bringing out an effect that gives in most cases an "all-silk" appearance, which is by no means changed in the wear. All these new fabrics are ready and on sale. We quote these special prices:

Silk and Linen Tissues, in the solid linen colors, made to sell at We put on sale Monday 50 pieces for 19c a yard. They are very

FRENCH ORGANDIES, most beautistyles, 72 designs to 2 cl n, for 23c and 33c a yard. organDips—American printing on imported cloth, sell at 12 1-2c. Brussels Net Organdles are 10c. Mercerized Silk Cloth Plamine, worth

35c, for 19e a yard. EMBROIDERED CHEMULPO

EMBROIDERED CHEMOLPO CREPE, white or colored grounds, striped or figured effects; 35c value, 12 1-2c a yard. New Bourette Volles, 2,000 yards, in a variety of styles, made this season to sell for 20c, in lengths from 3 to 10 yards, 46c a yard. Mercerized Taffeta Fabric, made to sell for 20c, our price 10 3-4c.

40-inch Batiste, in the new Kimona printings or small designs, for 19e a yard.

Linen Mercerized Sultings, one of the

Linens for All Richmond

The prices for these counters full speak louder than type an tell. The qualities and reliable wear must accompany Linens to a degree that only years of experience and Linen lore can teach. The sale of such Linens at such prices is a most substantial find.

6,500 yards of Imported English Gingham, in all the varieties for dresses and children's wear; qualities worth 18c; Cohen's price, 1 3-4c a yard. 4,000 yards Finest Imported Dimities, the newest designs, in 18c quality, special price 9 3-4c.

New English Sulting of linen, in style to imitate the woolen dress fabrics, for 35c a yard-a novelty. All these and many others on sale on first floor, middle aisle, "rear."

The purchase of Table Linens ranges from 25e to \$1.76.

2 yards wide Bleached Double Satin Damask,—no dressing—every woman will take a pride in it; \$1.45 value, for \$1, in large, open border patterns.

2 yards wide Austrian Damask, in any desires silver bleached, for the finest 2 1-2 yards wide 1rish Linen Sheeting, round thread and bleached by nature; price will be 85e a yard.

Some 500 dozen Double Damask Full Bleached Doyles, \$1.25 value, for 50e a dozen. yards wide Austrian Damask, in new designs, silver bleaches, in

2 yards wide Austrian Dalmask, in new designs, silver bleached, 85c quality, for 59c.

Bavarian Linen Damasks, full bleached, beautiful designs, double damask, 66 inohes wide; best \$1.25 value, for 25c each.

Besides the above there are many small lots, among them Napkins, Scarfs, Fringed Doylles, round and square, Linen Diaper, etc., etc.

Exquisite Made Garments

dise, the life of this store seeks it out, if it's worthy.

Shoppers

For Shrewd

when prices can be made to favor buying.

Large 10c bottle Vaseline, 5c, Women's and Boys' Linen Col-lars, the Corliss and H. and J. brand, all 12 1-2c collars, for

1. brand, all 12 1-2c colars, for 2 1.2c oach.
A gross Boys' 2-blade Pocket. Knives, made to sell at 25c, choice Monday, 10c cach.
10 pleces of Chiffon Veiling, sold for 25c and 50c, for 10c a yard.
25c Black, Linings, in short lengths, for de a yard. SOLD IN BASEMENT.
10. gross Pearl Shirt Buttons, all sizes, 2c a dozen.
50 Fan Chains, sold for \$1.50 and \$2.50, any, 25c cach.
5 gross Volette Talcum Powder, none better made at 15c, special price, 5c a box.

Money Saving

Specials

2,000 yards 5-inch All Silk Mous-seline Ribbons, in every color, made to soll at 25c, special for

10c a yard. 20 odds and ends of Silk and Leather Belts, were 25c and 50c each, choice Monday, 10c

each.
500 pieces of Jewelry, consisting of Buckles, Waist Sets, Brooch and Scarf Pins, were 25c, 39c and 50c, choice any, 10c, 50 Lock Bracelets, were to \$2.50, choice 50c each.
200 bunches White Feather Stitch Braid (or Beading), sold for 5c, 7c and 8c; Monday says 3 bunches for 10c; all 6 yards to piece.

to piece. 200 yards best 10c Silk Garter Elastic made, choice 5c a

yard. 100 Hair, Shaving and Tooth Brushes, worth to 25c, choice Monday 10c each.

A Peep at the New Waist Styles

two pretty styles in China silk, one with broad hemstitched tucks, another trimmed with hand-embroidered French knots, new sleeve, with tucked cuffs; all sizes, for \$2.98.

Pretty Unlined Taffeta Walsts, white or light blue, claborately trimmed with Valenciennes lace, for \$5,

Tallor-made China Silk Walsts for 81,08. Others for \$3.50 to \$5.98.

All these past season's waists are reduced to less than an average half of former prices.

Black Silk Shrt Walsts, Taffeta, Peau de Soic and Crepe de Chine, more than five dozen to choose from; not one that sold for less than \$6, choice All Linen Waists, some hand embroid-

All Linen Waists, some hand embroidered, black batiste, fine_mohair, with silk collar and cuffs, and others that sold to \$3; priced \$1.59 each.

Handsome Crepe de Chine and Lace Waists, some that were priced to \$15.50, marked \$5; the \$6 and \$8 Waists are \$1.50.

Lot of Mercerized Waists, in all sizes to 41, were \$1, now 65c.

guaranteed for two years, for 50c.
You will get the same attention
and the glasses be fitted as perfectly as if you paid ten times as

Three Curtain Specials

Silk, Cloth, Cheviot, Covert and other fabrics that add a sunny side to a long/and wintry past. They have come in full force and in their new styles and colorings lend a cheer in their modest price range.

New Tailored Sulfs of novelty mix-tures; all wool Venetian and covert cloth, tailored after this season's new-est models; worth to \$18, choice \$10. New Tailored Sulfs, with Dion blouse, short penjum, vest of Persian trim-ming, new sleeves and skirts; \$20 ones for \$12.50.

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Handsomely Tailored Suits of striped covert, fitted jackets, new platted bottom skirts, trimmed with tailor straps, silk lined jackets, \$20.
New Panama Suits, with tucked blouse, trimmed with fibre braid, wide shirred slik girdle, new sleeves, knee umbrella flounce, colors blue, black and brown, \$25.
Handsome Slik Suits, with Eton blouse, tucked, shirred and box platted jackets; finished with Persian ornaments and applique designs; skirts to match, \$29.
Slik Suits of chiffon taffeta, checked, striped, two toned and fancy effects; also plain colors, \$12.50 to \$25.
New Taffeta, Slik Skirts, full klit, plaifed, \$7.50.

New Mobair Shirt Waist Suits, black, blue, brown and cream, tucked waists and skirts, for \$7.50.

Black Broadcloth Jackets, with lapped seams, new siegoes, I model, full lined, \$5.

310 Jackets of double twisted covert cloth, 12-gore, lapped scams, full satin lined, \$7.98, \$5.75 All Wool Panama Skirts, new 15 gores, black, royal, navy and brown, \$1.98.

brown, \$3.98.

Mohair Siellian Sidrts, with new platted umbrella flounce, tucked yoke, \$5.

Melton Skirts, with the new platted bottom, \$3.25.

Broadcloth Skirts, in black, blue, brown and light gray, stylishly tallored, \$2.

All the Plannelette Wrappers that sold to \$1.98 will be sold at \$1 cach; the 75c and 85c ones will be 50c.

Long and Short Japanese Kimonas, in every conceivable shade, are sold from 75c to \$1.98.

The White Goods Sale

is of all-absorbing interest to shoppers just now. The sale is for the higher grades of goods squeezed down to the prices for which poorer sorts generally sell. There is a full third protection in the price saving, as against what they will likely be when the season is on in full.

15-INCH SHEEP PERSIAN LAWN,
15e a yard.
1-4 yards wide Wash Chiffons, two
grades, 60e and 45e qualities, for 25e
and 19e.

Yard Wide English Nainsooks, worth
20e to 25e, in lengths 3 to 10 yards;
price 12 1-2e a yard.

Best India Linons, 40 inches wide,
that sells for 12 1-2e, is 0 3-4e.

Handsome Mercerized Madras,
worth to 30e, for 19e a yard.

Chief Mercerized White Novelites,
worth to 50e, for 19e a yard.

Embroidered Stripe Poplins, 19e a
yard.

Our Special Monday

Spectacle Offer



For Monday we will sell regular \$1. Goldoin Spectacles and Eyeglasses, fitted to your eyes and Remember, for Monday only,

\$5 Silk Cross Stripe Madras Curtains, 3 yards long, \$2.50 a pair, \$3 Fish Net Curtains, 3 1-2 and 4 yards long, \$1.50 a pair. Muslin Curtains, fluted ruffles, 33c manness and the second second

Laces Strike a New Note in Dress

Trimmings

Laces are among the new idea dress trimmings. You can fine Venise Medallions, in white or ecru, imported to sell at 50c, for 25c a yard.

Allover Black Venise Laces, new designs, 98c a yard. Black Silk Chantilly Allover Laces, 98c a yard.

Sicove Luces of every description. Lace Nets for dresses, double width, 75e a yard. NEW BLUE BELL LACE, with All-

overs to match. Embroidered Net Top Laces, in all-Embroidered Net Top Laces, in allovers, 85c a yard.
Wash Laces start the price at 2e a
yard; 3e buys real Torchon.
Se a yard for hundreds of pleces of
Wash Laces, some 4 inches wide.
German Vals, Edgings and Insortings,
85e a dozen, or 8e a yard.
The new Val. Medallions, in diamond
and round shapes, 20e, 25e and 30e
a yard.

Cohen Muslin Underwear

has struck a pace this spring that has equalled the best the store has ever done in any department. Every garment is well made and of good materials, tastily trimmed and just such as any woman would make in her own home. The prices are the most remarkable features of this sale.

ANY GOWN you see anywhere for \$1 can be bought here for 75e.

Any Gown you see anywhere for \$1.50 can be bought here for \$1.50 can be bought here for \$1.100 can be found the for \$1.25 can be found to be found t

There are Gowns at 48c and 60c 27 dozen special Gowns for Monday, \$1,19 to \$1,25 values, for 83e and 88e

SHAVERAL HUNDRED DOZEN COR-SET COVERS, among them a variety of styles, trimmed with lace and cambric, full French front and draw string waistband, at 25c; others at 29c and 35c.

One of the remarkable values in Corset Covers is trimmed with Torchon lace, at 199e.

50e buys the usual 75c and 85c Covers; among these is the full lace yoke French Covers, trimmed full back and front, and usually sold at \$1.

SKIRT'S for less than cost of sewing act home, and all well made.

Pull Trimmed Umbrella Flounce
Skirts, with 3 rows of wide lace inserting, interspersed with cambric

Umbrella Flounce Skirts, with 3 rows of inserting, edging and cambrie, flounce 18 inches wide; choice of a variety of styles, 69c.
Short Skirts, made as well as you make them at home, for 25c-tucked flounce.

DRAWERS AT 19e-Umbrolla ruffle of 3 rows of hemsiltening and tucks; good muslin.

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Counterful of Drawers at 25e, includes those for which you usually pay 35c. The stock of Drawers leads to all prices until they reach \$3 a pair.

ON SALIE MONDAY, 60 dozen Tight Fitting Low Neck Corest Covers, usually 25c, for 15e each-all sizes. We make a specialty of Fine White Underwear to order.

Among the Women's Underwear you will fine extra sizes in the various grades.

The Bargain Basement

Has a great claim on you for its half-priced merchandise of almost every description. There is no limit to the reliable merchandise you may find and at prices impossible elsewhere in Richmond.

These Basement Cottons

store in the South. Finest grade of all materials sell at halfprice, or as near that as possible.

8,000 yards finest 20c Madras—end-less variety of printing, in light colors—full yard wide, for 9 3-4c

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Mohair Volles—new spring styles—worth 15c everywhere, here for 7 1-2c.

25c French Organdles, Sc. 1

The newest Sea Island and French Percales are 0 3-4c.

The best 10c to 12 1-2c Light Percales and Madras are 6 3-4c.

Amoskeag and Lancaster Ginghams—small and large checks—5 3-4c.

10-4 Full Bleached Sheeting, by the piece or yard, instead of 25c is 20e a yard, ward, the piece of yard, instead of 25c is 20e a yard, ward, ward, in lengths to 20 yards, instead of 11 1-2c is 8 3-4c. Yard Wide Cottons and Cambrics, 4 3-4c. Mill ends of 4-4 Sea Island Percales, 5 3-4c and 6c. Belfast Linen Cannon Cloth, double width, 12 1-2c. 3000 yards of the best 6 1-4c Apron Gligham, 5c, a yard; the 5c Gingham is 3 3-4c.

White Underwear

Thousands of White Underwear Garments in the basement at popular prices; at least a third less than any other place in Richmond.

Gowns at 20e and 30e. Corset Covers, Sc. Drawers at 10c. Skirts at 30c and 48c. And many others.

White Goods at Half Prices

2,500 yards of 12 1-2c White Checked Dimitles for 7 3-4c a yard. Short lengths of 12 1-2c to 19c India Linons, 9 3-4c a yard. Yard Wide White Madras, all the latest designs, worth 15c, but priced, in short lengths, 9 1-2c. Fine Binglish Nainsooks for 9c a yard; you can match any quantity you wish.

40-inch India Linons, in short lengths, for 5 3-4c a yard.

120 pairs of Blankets, white with fancy border; were \$1.25 and \$1.50, for 95c a pair.

WHITE QUILTS, the heaviest grade that has ever been sold for \$2, well be sold Monday for \$1.50.

Bedding Will Sell

\$1.50.

900 Marsellles Quilts that sold at \$3.05 to \$4.50, for \$2.50 each.

White Crochet Quilts, 45c.

\$1 Quilts are 69c.

Our usual \$1.00 Quilts are \$1.25.

Sale of Writing Paper

Two manufacturers' lots have come to us to sell for less than the wholesale cost. 675 pounds Linen Paper for 9e a pound, pound,
1,200 pounds Plain Salin Paper for
6c a pound,
870 pounds French Organdy Paper
for 15c a pound,
460 pounds of Linen Lawn Paper
for 25c a pound,
Envelopes to match all.

Toilet Sets.

40e for 17-quart First Quality
Graystone Dish Pans.

3De for 5-quart Royal Granite Ber-lin Sauce Pans. De for 10-quart Seamless Tin Dish

Pans.

3e—Tin Wash Basins.

9e—Scamless Tin Stew Pans.

Crystal Glass Syrup Pitchers, with
spring tops, to be closed out at
9e cach.

Cohen's Surplus Stock Sale

Of Houseware Gives Half Price and Less

For Ornaments, Table and Kitchenware

in White Thin 75e for \$1.25 Red, Brown, Green or Saucors.

198e a dozen-Plain White Thin China Cups and Saucers.
45e-White Embossed China Soup Turcens, worth 75c.
58e-Regular 31 and \$1.25 Decorated Covered Dishes.
5e for White Porcelain Tea Cups and Saucers, worth 31 a dozen.
10e for a 12-inch 39c Moat Platter.
\$2.98 for Plak, Blue, Marcon or Green Tinted 10-plece Tollet Sot.
98e for a \$1.60 Brass Trimmed Ruby Hall Lamp.
\$4.75 for 12-plece White and Gold Tollet Sets, with jurs.

Se-Rotary Sifters. There are hundreds of items priced similar to the above. Come and see them all. It is a great chance for housekeepers.

MIRANDY'S RECIPE FOR HAPPINESS IN MATRIMONY.

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"Yessun, I surely did tuke temptation what is satisfied with of the same what is offering a what is assisted with a man what of offering a what is assisted with a man and keepir him act made statisfied. Husbands comes in different widths, and additionally the same hellows that marriage is a fallure is offering to give that amount of money with a man and keepir him and satisfied. Husbands comes in different widths, and interent widths, and additionally and they show that can prove that he is happy, "They show is gittin' suspicious in these days. It's time enough for a man what can't manage a husband, when he gets married after the wedding, "I have got to feed 'em, and sort seap with him that can't manage a husband in the same with him yes peeded for the same white show is given by the same with a first point of the same with him yes got to feed 'em, and sort seap with the same with the system of the same with the system of the same with fall satisfied to get out the fall state of the money in the same with the system of the same with the s

that he sutiniy does perambulate like a Prince. When Elviry Smith retches him a compilment about his clothes lookin' like a dude, I prognosticates that it's the figure of the man, and not the clothes, and that lice can make any kind of a hand-me-down suit look like it jest walked out of the tailor shop. Yessum, I sho does put on the soft soap with a heavy hand.

"And there's one wore thing that's fun-

LEPROSY, AWFUL

plague known in ancient times. As a menace to human life it so continued By the eighteenth century it had prac-

tically become known in every country of

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lls, continually spreading the danger of contagion to all whom they may chance to brush against in the course of their peringrinations. No care is taken of them; there is no place where they may receive special treatment; and the danger is not even recognized by the city's medical authorities.

"There are 2,300,000 lopers in the world," said Dr. Dyer, commenting on this report. "Three million out of an estimated population of 1,435,830,000 soils, or one for every five hundred soils, or one for every five hundred soils, or of every thousand persons that walk the habitable globe, there are two afficied with this awful and loathsome disease, hitherto incurable.

Unbellevable and absurd these figures may seem at first sight, yet their truth is one of the most firmity established in medical science. And this disease, the most loathsome of all the affictions manifind has to endure, and which is among the most widoly-spread the sons of men have to suffer, can be cured, and cured without spot or blemish.

Spread of Disease.